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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF WYOMING**

**GREAT AMERICAN ASSURANCE
COMPANY AND GREAT AMERICAN
ALLIANCE COMPANY,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**INTERSTATE FIRE & CASUALTY
COMPANY, AND FIREMAN'S FUND
INSURANCE COMPANY,**

Defendants.

Case No. 2:16-cv-65-ABJ

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court's Order dated December 27, 2021 (Dkt. No. 91), Plaintiffs Great American Assurance Company and Great American Alliance Company (collectively, "Great American") and Defendants Interstate Fire & Casualty Company and Fireman's Fund Insurance Company (collectively, "Interstate") (together, the "Parties") submit this Joint Status Report regarding the mediation held on February 10, 2022. In support of this Report, the Parties state as follows:

1. The parties mediated on February 10, 2022.
2. At the close of the mediation session on February 10, settlement negotiations remained ongoing and remain ongoing today with the help of the mediator.
3. As a result, the Parties respectfully request an additional fourteen (14) days to continue their efforts to resolve this dispute.
4. Within fourteen (14) days the Parties will advise the Court if their settlement negotiations were successful.
5. If the settlement efforts are successful, the Parties agree to make every effort to file the necessary dismissal papers on or before March 15, 2022. If, for some reason, dismissal papers cannot be filed by that date, the Parties will promptly advise the Court on when dismissal papers will be filed.

Accordingly, the Parties respectfully request that the Court postpone rescheduling the Scheduling Conference previously set for January 28, 2022 (and subsequently vacated) until

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after the Parties have reported to the Court regarding the outcome of the mediation on or before March 2, 2022.

Respectfully submitted this 17th day of February 2022.

Dated: February 17, 2022

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